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Merry Christmas!

MIDDLEBURY CAMPUS

Happy New Year!

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Midd to Admit 80 New Men In Next Term

40 FORMER MIDD MEN TO RETURN

Enrollment in the Men's College will be more than doubled next semester when approximately 80 returning servicemen, new students, and transfers will be admitted.

Accommodations for the Men

Lack of accommodations and general refusal on the part of the men living in three-room suites in Gifford to accept an additional roommate has restricted enrollment to a fraction of the total number of applications received by the administration. Fifteen additional rooms will be left vacant by February graduates, by a limited number of draftees and by those men who have agreed to double up in the corner suites. A few rooms will be available at the Chi Psi Lodge, while the Sigma Phi Epsilon and Delta Upsilon houses, now occupied by women, will be used as men's dormitories.

Married Veterans

Alteration of the Federation Building into apartments for married veterans has now been postponed until the fall semester, giving room for an additional 14 single students during the spring term. Married veterans who applied for admission as of December 15 have been assigned apartments in the Gables or Sargent House. The college plans to solicit rooms for a final 20 students in private homes throughout the town.

Forty of the new applicants who will enter college this February are ex-Middlebury students, while 25 veterans have been accepted who have had no previous college experience. This number, with the exception of five new civilian students, leaves a waiting list of 55 men who cannot begin their education until new rooming space becomes available.

The re-admission list of former Middlebury men is as follows: Henry L. Cady, Lawrence Canning, David Cassidy, Henry W. Caswell, Daniel M. Col-

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Skyline Holds '46 Elections

Appointment to permanent Skyline of the Middlebury Mountain club was awarded to three men and ten women at elections held last Tuesday night, December 18.

The three men chosen, all of the sophomore class were: Prescott R. Carr, J. David Hunt, and Herbert Manell. Women elected to permanent positions were as follows: Nancy Fitz, the only junior, and Marilyn A. Drake, H. Jeanne Epp, Mary H. Johnston, Gertrude A. Keefe, Barbara Morss, Joan H. Roessle, Cynthia R. Strout, Shirley J. Syrett, Miriam Wade, all of the sophomore class.

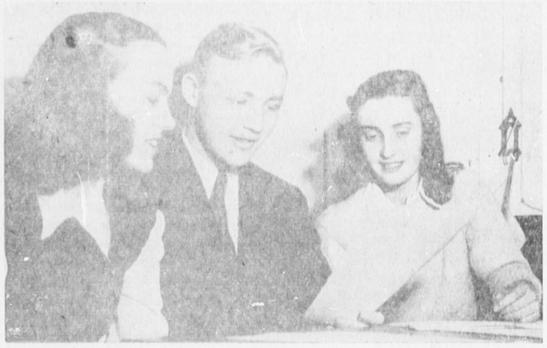
Advancement from temporary to permanent Skyline is based on attendance and assistance in regular Sunday hikes, on participation and cooperation in various Mountain club activities and on general enthusiasm and interest shown throughout the period of temporary appointment.

College Players Hold Ceremony For 32 Initiates

Thirty-two members of the College players were initiated at the Playhouse Friday evening, December 14.

The new members include: Bruno Haas '48, Elma M. Baldrick, Jane C. Billings, Katherine M. Craven, Jean C. Luckhardt, all of the class of '46; Mary P. Belcher, June E. Brookman, Mary Corcoran, Alice I. DeLorenzo, Elizabeth E. Flandreau, Evelyn L. Gardner, Mary E. Hamilton, Martha W. Harvey, Phyllis E. Howland, Dorothy A. Lindemann, Marjorie A. Nelson, Lulubelle T. Newton, Barbara L. Parcher, Janet T. Rogers, M. Jacqueline Simon, Jane H. Strayer, Frances E. Swain, all of the class of '47; Anne M. Clarke, Ingrid H. Goldsmith, Gloria A. Greenley, Margery A. Lehmann, Shirley R. March, Irmgard Nierhaus, Doris A. Palm, Katherine A. Rapp, S. Ann Tisdale, and Jean C. Webster, all of the class of '48.

P. Funck, J. Kraft Elected Co-Editors, D. Marden Business Manager of *Campus*



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A. Delphine Marden, Peter E. Funck, Janet Kraft

Also Buckeridge, Gardner, Surtees On Senior Board

To Assume New Duties With Next Issue January 10

Peter E. Funck '46 and Janet Kraft '47, were elected co-editors-in-chief and A. Delphine Marden '47, business manager, of the CAMPUS for the year 1946 as the result of elections held by the outgoing Senior Board this week.

Other students elected to Senior Board positions are Joanne E. Buckeridge '47, associate editor; Nancy C. Surtees, '47, managing editor, and Evelyn L. Gardner '47, advertising manager.

Division of Duties

Mr. Funck will handle the technical side of production and transactions between the CAMPUS and the Free Press Printing Company in Burlington where the CAMPUS is published. Miss Kraft will write the editorials each week and will train assistant editors for Senior Board positions. The co-editors will work together on policy and major issues arising on the campus.

All of the seven newsstaffers who competed for assistant editorships were promoted. They are Marie M. Scudder '46, Audrey Jewell '47, Muriel E. Mack '47, Barbara L. Parcher '47, Margaret K. Matulis '48, A. Ronnie McKenney '48, and Jane A. Saurman '48.

Assistant Business Managers

Out of 24 business staff try-outs, five were elected to assistant managers' positions. They are John Zukowski '49, Annaliese M. Koster '47, Esther P. Henderson '48, Edith Titus '48, and Margaret M. Williams '48.

The six new members of the newsstaff are Mary Jean Hicks, Elizabeth C. Ordway, Elizabeth E. Robinson, Patricia Salmon, Jean Swenson and Edith P. Williams, all of the class of '48.

New Sports Editor

Alan Wolfley, term five, former Midd man who returned to college this fall after overseas service with the Army Air corps, has been appointed CAMPUS sports editor. He has been covering sports events for the CAMPUS during the last few weeks and has also reintroduced the column *Billboard*. This column was originally begun by "Mike" Halligan '42 and continued by Bill Calkins '44, both Middlebury men who were killed in action.

All elections for the CAMPUS staff were made upon the basis of past work and competitive examinations.

The outgoing Senior Board voted to continue the office of co-editors throughout the coming year but it will be up to the incoming Senior Board to decide whether or not they will pass on to their successors the division of the editor's duties.

Midd Gives $1438 To Vt. War Fund

Gifford, Pearsons Lead Contributions

A total of $1,438.27 has been donated by the Men's and Women's Colleges of Middlebury to the Vermont State War Fund.

Although originally scheduled as a six-week drive, solicitations will be continued among the men after the Christmas recess. Contributions from individual dormitories were as follows:

Hepburn	$155.50
Forest West	117.50
Forest East	165.00
Pearsons	165.25
Howard House	32.10
Sanford House	21.00
Seely House	18.50
Wright House	15.00
Battell	27.09
Hillcrest	47.50
Chateau	144.50
Homestead	19.00
Jewett Wilcox	12.00
Eaton	27.00
Painter	94.08
Gifford	465.00
Off-Campus Men	50.00
Proceeds from the gym dance were	55.00

Dance Club, Choir Give Noel Pageant

Elizabeth F. MacGill

The Christmas Story was colorfully and skillfully presented by the combined modern dance group and college choir Wednesday evening at the Playhouse.

The dance group, under the direction of Miss Feriz Malootian, brought again to life through their movements the timeless story of the birth of Christ. The parts of Mary and Joseph during their journey to Bethlehem were portrayed by Jeannette A. Winans '48 and Joan H. Roessle '48, respectively. Miss Winans, dressed completely in blue, depicted the character of Mary with gentleness and feeling while Miss Roessle was outstanding in the role of Joseph.

Jean H. Mace realistically played the guardian angel while Leslie T. Cunniff '49, Alice C. Hardie '49, Mary E. Hemeon '49, and Lorena M. Laing '49, were the shepherds. The wise men included Carolyn W. Leach '47, Shirley R. March '48, and Barbara T. Myers '49.

The program closed with the entire group assembled at the manger to view the new-born king. The choir completed the background and atmosphere for the dance by the singing of Christmas hymns between each scene.

Gala Performance Of Foxhole Ballet Scheduled Jan. 8

The well-known "Foxhole Ballet" will perform on Tuesday evening January 8, at 8.15 p.m., in the high school gymnasium. This will be another program in the Concert-Lecture series.

The ballet, which takes its name from the fact that it was the first dance unit organized to play to American troops overseas, was acclaimed by GI's in Italy, France, Germany and Belgium.

Five top-ranking solo dancers headed by Grant Mouradoff, and two famous concert pianists are the members of the "Foxhole Ballet." Mouradoff was at one time premier danseur of the Metropolitan Grand Opera, later of the Paris Grand Opera, and of the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo. The four ballerinas are Sonia Woickikowska, Tatiana Semenova, Betty Burge, and Ginee Richardson. The two pianists are Victoria Crandall and Moreland Kortkamp.

Sonia Woickikowska first appeared in America as prime ballerina with the Polish Ballet at the World's Fair. She later became premiere dansuese with the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo. Tatinana Semenova has been solo dancer with the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo for four years. Betty Burge was also a member of the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo while Ginee Richardson danced in the Broadway productions of "One Touch of Venus," and the "Vagabound King."

Midd Ski Season Opened By Meet At Franconia, NH

Facing a competitive field of 60 skiers, many of them of championship status, the Middlebury squad opened its season last weekend at the two-event meet held in Franconia, N. H.

The seven-mile cross-country run was held Saturday, while the slalom contest, a giant half-mile trail, took place on Sunday. Capt. Tom Cremer led his team in this first meet, crossing the finish line in 19th place. The remainder of the squad finished in the following order: Dick Bailey, 23; Peter McKee, 25; Dick Fife, 29, and Stu Petrie, 36.

The following day, however, Harry Fife, a returned veteran, drove through heavy snowfall to finish the Cannon slalom run in fifth place, just a few seconds behind Dartmouth's Bob de Forest. Tom Cremer also placed among the leaders with an eighth place finishing time. Dick Bailey ended 18th, Peter McKee 20th, Doc Wells 27th, Phil Briggs 60th and Stewart Petrie 61st.

MEMBERS CHOSEN FOR USSA PARLEY

Three members of Middlebury's Student Action assembly, Mary H. Albertson '46, Joanne E. Buckeridge '47, and Ruth C. Murphy '48, will attend the United States Student Assembly conference to be held at the Hudson Guild Farm near Newton, N. J., from December 27-29.

Six panel discussions will be held dealing with such subjects as the formation of U.S.S.A. chapters, labor problems, national issues, and religious and racial discrimination. Miss Alice Horton, representative to the youth conferences in London and Prague, will speak on international issues.

Middlebury Yule Tradition Includes Carols, Minstrels, Dorm Festivities

By Marie M. Scudder '46

1878

"The Hawthorne Club read Dickens at Professor Higley's on Friday evening."

1890

"A dance at the Addison House was enjoyed by several students who didn't go home for the holidays."

1914

"The Zigzag minstrels (Middlebury students), entertained at Bristol for the benefit of the Y.M.C.A.; the college band and orchestra accompanied the show."

1917

"Saturday afternoon a group of Y. M. C. A. men provided with axes and saws started to work up wood for some of the townspeople short of fuel."

1938

Members of the Women's College had an Old English Christmas party in Forest Rec. "The traditional boar's head with a lemon fixed between his jaws was carried in and a wassail bowl passed around."

1940

"'Spit cards' instituted by girls wanting inexpensive Christmas cards to send to a large number of college friends are being sold by Mortar Board. Girls licked stickers and pasted them on small cards, adding a line or two of cheery wishes—hence the name."

1943

Mountain Club holds mixed hockey game and traditional Yule log burning on Women's athletic field afterwards—semi-formal dance with Bob Allen's orchestra.

1944

G. F.

1945

The town "midway" and the lighted evergreen on the hill vying nightly for color appeal. . .

Dorm parties—singing, refreshments—Christmas trees—reading of Dickens' "Christmas Carol" before a warm fire in the Abernethy room. . . .

Christmas vesper musical with the choir's candlelight procession. . . .

Ski hikes to Lincoln . . . . skating on the gym rink. . . .

Santa Claus French giving presents to the Ripton children at Forum's annual Christmas party. . . .

Pre-vacation tests and quizzes (professors: "God bless you, every one!")

Frenzied knitting on the O.A.O.'s sweater to be mailed "sometime" before the 25th. . . .

Victims of the "bug" on the infirmary waiting list. . . .

Shopping trips to Burlington on the 10.00 a.m. bus. . . .

And tomorrow—"Back to civilization, The train will carry us there."

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A Policy of Truth

Every new group that takes over the responsibility of leading any organization has two resolves. The first is to keep, and, if possible, improve upon the standards of the past. The second is to announce a new policy of action that seems to them necessary. We, the new CAMPUS editorial staff, are no different in the first respect. We sincerely congratulate the outgoing Senior Board for their excellent work and invaluable help, and we will do our utmost to maintain the fine record that the CAMPUS has made in the past.

A newspaper policy, we feel, however, is a retrospective view of actions and not a prospective preview of words. It is impossible to say at the beginning of our new jobs what our policy will be. We cannot foresee the problems ahead of the college, and not until we actually face them will we be able to consider them. Our policy will unfold itself during the next year as we grow accustomed to our work and meet the events to come. It will not be completed until we leave office and the next staff is elected.

All we can promise, and this promise may be thought of as our policy if one is required of us at this time, is that we *will* consider the events of the college and the world, the understanding of which we feel is necessary for us as members of the college. We will be after the truth at all times, and we will not be afraid to stand against either student, faculty, or administrative opinion when we feel that that opinion has been unjustly formed.

The purpose of a newspaper such as the CAMPUS is to inform the college of what is happening for the final end of better understanding. Whenever we find misunderstanding, misinformation, or unfair prejudice we will do our utmost to expose it—not with the intent of berating individuals or groups of individuals, but with the idea of bringing about unity and cooperation among the various elements that make up Middlebury College.

There is little more that we can say. We sincerely believe in this promise and hope for the vision necessary to carry it out. The retiring Senior Board has given us this obligation, and we will not fail them or the rest of the college. We voluntarily accept the challenge.

J. K.

To Begin With . . .

This past week letters were sent from the Dean of men to students in Gifford Hall who occupy three-room suites, requesting that they accept an additional roommate in the spring term. This request, sent only as a last possible solution to the college housing problem, was placed on a voluntary basis. The results were, for the great majority, blank refusals to cooperate in relieving the situation.

Fifty-five veterans, many of them former members of the college, are waiting to resume their education. Each of these men is being sent a copy of the CAMPUS. In this he will read of the rooming situation at Middlebury and of the refusal of his future schoolmates to share their living quarters with him. If he looks to other colleges, he will see that they too have filled every available room and apartment and generally are many times more crowded in their living quarters than we are here at Middlebury. He will read of students being assigned not to dormitories, but to trailers, two or three men in each. He will see that the entire country is crying for the construction of new living quarters, but in the meantime is doing the best with what it has and is sharing what little there is.

Here at Middlebury all we seem to hear are grumblings that "The college got itself into this mess, let it get out of it"; or "Why should we double up, when there's plenty of room elsewhere?" The college has investigated every possible alternative, has exhausted the town's supply of apartments. Now that the space available in Gifford has been denied, we see only one other possible solution: that the women of Middlebury search out those among them who would be willing to double up in their rooms, thereby vacating one or two of the small dormitories for returning servicemen. It would be entirely up to the women's campus. It would be their initiative and their sacrifice; it would mean some discomfort and extensive rearrangements. But it would also mean that 20 to 50 ex-servicemen, now older and more anxious to complete their education in the shortest possible time, could return to the college in the spring. These men have given up many things for all of us. It would seem high time that we begin to reciprocate.

P. F.

Free Speech

The editors are not responsible for opinions expressed in this column unless they are clearly prefaced by "Editors' Note."

Dear Editors:

Have you ever tried stumbling along in complete darkness, groping for every step you take? Or in the dead of night have you ever stepped on some slippery object which felt strangely like a frog? If you haven't experienced either of these adventures, you undoubtedly haven't tried to make your way down the Chat road after dark.

At present there are no lights whatsoever on the road and it is impossible to see, especially at the turn of the road near the Chateau. You more or less have to use your imagination as to which direction the road should go.

Two lights on the road would be sufficient and I'm sure they would be greatly appreciated. Also such an improvement might prevent a serious accident in the future, for it would be all too easy now to sprain an ankle or break a leg by stepping in some unseen rut.

MEMBER OF THE CLASS OF '47.

NOTICES

The Dean's offices announce that the schedule of classes on Friday, December 21, will be as follows:

8.00 o'clock classes— 8.05 to 8.45
9.00 o'clock classes— 8.50 to 9.30
10.30 o'clock classes— 9.35 to 10.15
11.30 o'clock classes—10.20 to 11.00

Chapel will be omitted.

The Christmas recess closes January 2, classes beginning at 8.00 o'clock on Thursday, January 3.

Each year students make requests of their instructors that they be permitted to change their sections during the last days before a college recess. Such requests will not be granted. No absences for Friday, December 21, and for Thursday, January 3, are permitted without special permission from the Dean. Violations make a student subject to being placed on cut probation.

Calendar

Thursday, January 3

Classes begin.

Saturday, January 5

8.00-11.00 p.m.—Blue Key Dance in college gym.

Sunday, January 6

Breadloaf Ski Hike.

Chapel Speaker—Rev. Russel H. Stafford, Old South Church, Boston, Mass.

George Harris '43 Killed in Accident

The CAMPUS last week received notice from Mrs. William H. Harris of Nyack, N. Y., that her son, George O. Harris, known at Middlebury as "Skip" Harris, was killed this fall in an automobile accident in Yellowstone National Park, Wyo.

"Skip" had been working in Yellowstone as a forest ranger for several months when the accident occurred. He was struck by an unidentified car on Monday, September 3, along one of the park highways and died shortly thereafter.

One-time member of Middlebury's varsity football team and secretary-treasurer of the Blue Key, "Skip" left his alma mater in April of 1943 for service with the U. S. Marine corps. He took part in the invasion and conquest of the Marshall Islands but was returned for hospitalization in the States in April of 1944. After six months in various service hospitals, he finally received his discharge in September of that year.

Forum Brings Ripton Group Yuletide Fete

By Sarah McCullough '47

Christmas came a week and three days early to the children in Ripton this year. Forum, with its annual Christmas party last Friday, December 14, was responsible for this change of date.

It was real Christmas weather, cold and bright, with a layer of fresh snow covering the ground, when the big red truck set out for the mountain community. Everyone was in high spirits and sang carols all the way. The party was held on the second floor of the Ripton Grange. A big Christmas tree, brushing the ceiling, had been gaily decorated by the children with ornaments they had made in school, and a fire in the round iron stove afforded a warm welcome. A few mothers with babies were already there, but the party really got under way when school let out and the children came trooping in, eyes shining with anticipation.

Nativity Pageant

First on the program were some Christmas carols, led by "Do" Palm, followed by the pageant of the nativity, simply but effectively presented by the Interfaith group. The acting was accompanied by Irmgard Nierhaus reading the traditional Christmas story.

More carols and games followed this, with the children grouped according to age. "Farmer in the Dell," quizzes with prizes for the most right answers, musical chairs and other games proved very popular. Even more exciting were the two short movies, presented by "Doc" Weidner. The children loved them both and were a most appreciative audience, laughing and exclaiming at the huge helium-filled rubber animals in Macy's parade and at the antics of Peter, the fox terrier. In between reels, a slight flurry was occasioned by the singing of "Jingle Bells" by some of us who didn't realize that that was to be Santa Claus' cue to appear, but embarrassment was avoided by a quick change over to "The First Noël."

Santa Claus Arrives

After the movies, Santa, perfectly portrayed by Mr. Irwin K. French, arrived and handed out the presents with appropriate remarks. Refreshments followed this, and the noise quieted down somewhat as the children became absorbed by

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Season's Music And Candlelight Perfect Vespers

By Marcey S. Lynn '46

The last vesper service of the year was celebrated by a Christmas program of the choir, held in the traditional candlelight ceremony.

The program was begun by the processional hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" and followed by a Bach chorale, "Beside Thy Cradle," and "In Dulci Jubilo" by Pearsall. The choir, under the direction of Prof. H. Ward Bedford, performed these two difficult works exceedingly well with good interpretation and articulation.

Choir Sings Carols

After the Scripture reading, the choir sang a set of four Christmas carols and songs, two of which were by Erickson: "Andulasion Carol," and "Basque Carol"; the other two, "Slumber Song" and "Joyous Christmas" were by Gavaert. These were novel songs which the choir performed with a great deal of accuracy and precision—thereby producing the desired effect.

The responses were then sung by all and followed by a prayer.

Concluding Songs

The concluding set of numbers sung by the choir were three very different songs: "Carol of the Bells" by Wilhousky; "How Far Is It to Bethlehem" by Shaw, and "Wasn't It a Mighty Day" by Bett. In "Carol of the Bells," the choir did a realistic job of imitating the bells. It was a trick piece that added a lightness and pleasing variety to the program. "How Far Is It to Bethlehem," a rather soft and quiet piece added to the solemnity and dignity of the service. The last number, "Wasn't It a Mighty Day," was a bombastic number in which the choir gave their all. In this number the choir's technical ability was good (as good as could be expected under the circumstances of the pervading man shortage); their ability to follow the difficult modulation of the piece showed excellent training.

Excellent Selection

The choir is to be congratulated on producing one of the finest and most enjoyable Christmas programs yet heard in Middlebury. The selection of songs—their variety and quality—was excellent, and the choir did an outstanding job of interpretating them. At all times there was a pleasant balance of voices and good articulation.

Mortar Board Inquiry Shows Midd Favors Vote on Sorority Question

Two hundred and twenty-one women, as opposed to 95, favor a vote on the sorority question, according to the results of the Mortar Board poll held on the campus last week. A total of approximately 316 women answered the poll.

The answers to the questions were as follows:

Freshman Answers

For freshmen only: 1. Would you accept a sorority bid if offered? Yes, 42; no, 24; undecided, 24. 2. Do you feel sufficiently informed to make this decision? Yes, 69; no, 21. 3. Do you think that a presentation such as the Mortar Board discussion should be given to the Freshman class each year? Yes, 89; no, 2.

General Attitude

For all women: 1. Are you in favor of sororities in general? Yes, freshmen, 43; sorority, 101; neutral, 27; formerly sorority, 0; total, 171; no-freshmen, 42; sorority, 27; neutral, 72; formerly sorority, 12; total, 153; undecided, 4 freshmen.

The results of the subdivisions of this question show that 44 freshmen, 105 sorority women, 24 neutral women and no former sorority women, a total of 171 women favor sororities as a permanent Middlebury institution with improved rushing; 13 freshmen, 12 sorority women, 11 neutral women, and 4 former sorority women, a total of 40 women favor them for the time being at Middlebury; 29 freshmen, 12 sorority women, 57 neutral women, and 10 former sorority women, a total of 108 wish them to be discontinued at Middlebury.

Possible Substitutes

The results of the second question, "Do you think there could be other social relationships which could replace the values of sororities to the benefit of all?" were as follows: Yes, freshmen, 47; sorority, 29; neutral, 70; formerly sorority, 12, total, 158; no, freshmen, 29; sorority, 90; neutral, 18; formerly sorority, 0; total, 137; undecided, 7 freshmen.

Favor Vote

3. Would you think that a vote on this sorority question might be advisable? Yes, freshmen, 74; sorority, 58; neutral, 78; formerly sorority, 11, total, 221; no, freshmen, 12; sorority, 60; neutral, 13; formerly sorority, 0; total, 95.

4. Do you think a forum is necessary on this issue? Yes, freshmen, 47; sorority, 35; neutral, 57; formerly sorority, 8; total, 147; no, freshmen, 39; sorority, 87; neutral, 33; formerly sorority, 4; total, 163.

5. Are you willing to let the matter drop? Yes, freshmen, 30; sorority, 71; neutral, 24; formerly sorority, 0, total, 125; no, freshmen, 49; sorority, 47; neutral, 71; formerly sorority, 11; total, 178.

Other Suggestions

In regard to the second question a number of suggestions were made. Among the most numerous were the following: Interdorm and interclass social functions, 24 persons; stronger club interests, 15 persons; quota system, 14 persons; big-little sister system, 11 persons; Student Union building, 10 persons. Also suggested were church groups, senior advisers, interclub activities, a new neutral women's organization, and new sororities.

BILLBOARD

By Alan Wolfley

Midd's first basketball game was well attended though many familiar faces from both sides of the campus were missing.

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Improvement is the word for the quintet, for they certainly showed it at the Clarkson game. The boys even had some color back—guess the "itis" is gone for a few weeks.

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Still have to keep plugging for Intramural attendance; it isn't the old guard, they are present every time that their team plays. It's particularly noticeable among the freshmen and those who haven't experienced Middlebury intramurals previously. Though it's a small minority, they tend to hurt the relative standing of the others.

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The rink is ready for all those who are ready and able.

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Panther room is as popular as ever, but the service around noon tends to be rather slow.

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Chuck Rielle played a sparkling brand of ball against Burlington and Rutland. What a bunch of hot rocks those guys from the U.V.M. City were; wish I had a pork pie hat!

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Lew Ensinger, regular guard, may be lost for the season due to injuries received on December 8. Let's hope he's out there poppin' 'em in again soon.

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Lt. "Red" Kelly, USNR, is back and will be with us starting next semester.

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Jan Lindner, alias The Cap, has shown a decided improvement on the hard woods; he plays a consistently floor game and brings the spectators to their feet every so often with those long "pops."

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Charlie Spivak, Les Brown, Johnny Long, and Woody Herman are in the Big City now for all of you who get social minded during the holidays (and who doesn't?) Oh, yes, there's always Joe King's and Nick's, down in The Village, for a fast cobo and a big stein.

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And Mac can skate, too!! Whatta man!!

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Judging from the results of the Franconia Open, the Blue and White Ski team looks strong. Only one other undergraduate (DeForest of Dartmouth) was up with Icky Fife and Tom Cremer in the slalom.

Disappointing to the crowd at Franconia was the fact that the West Point team could not compete. It seems that The Cadets can only have two academic days off per semester, so they have decided to attend only the Middlebury and Dartmouth carnivals.

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The men complain about not having "control of things" and that the women run the place, but yet when there is a call for tryouts, helpers on committees, etc., no one but the gals show up.

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If it's sports you're looking for this vacation don't forget the doubleheader basketball games and hockey battles at Madison Square Garden.

Merry Christmas,

WOLF.

All Midd

Ten girls were chosen for the All-Midd Volleyball team this year, the highest honor that a girl may receive in any one sport. Those girls selected were: Bette J. Bertschinger '46, Marcey S. Lynn '46, Mary Jane Selleck '46, Virginia M. Hodder '47, Doris E. Vaughn '47, Camille H. Buzby '48, Jane L. Drummond '48, Jo Anne Selleck '48, Phyllis J. Hatch '49, and Patricia J. Schryver '49.

Lists of those girls who have been chosen for the first team of each class, and the points earned by every girl who participated in volleyball are now posted in the gym. They will be posted for a week, during which time any girl may see Miss Lynn, manager of the sport, about a mistake or omission in accredited points. Those girls who made All-Midd will receive 200 points, a first team 100 points, a second team 60 points, and the wining team 150 points.

"The Old Ladies," the winners of the tournament, will play an exhibition game with the men's faculty team on Thursday, January 3, the day classes are resumed after Christmas vacation.

Gloria A. Antolini '46, has been appointed head of basketball by the W.A.A. Council. Class practices have been held all this week with the freshmen reporting at 4.00 o'clock and the upperclassmen at 4.45. The tournament will be started as soon as possible after Christmas vacation.

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Midd Basketmen Bow to Clarkson In Last Quarter

Two Midd Squads Hold Lead At Half

A spirited Panther quintet, dropped its second straight basketball game, a week ago last Saturday night, when a late rally by a fast Clarkson Tech team overcame a 3-point deficit and went on to win by a score of 49 to 41.

Middlebury showed a decided improvement over their previous contest with the Garnet and White of Union College. They worked smoother offensively and many times fed up the tired Engineers in their own front court.

Hard Fight

It was evident from the start that the game was going to be a hrad fought one, as Clarkson kept an edge of but one to four points for the first 12 minutes.

Mulvaney, Clarkson center, opened the scoring, 30 seconds after the game started, but 10 seconds later "Corky" Elwell tied it up for the Middmen. Don Means, then took over to lead the Midd attack, which saw the score see-sawing. With Clarkson leading by two points, Coach Arthur M. Brown inserted an entirely fresh team, with 5 minutes of the first half remaining. Quick baskets by Press Carr and Walt Nelson put the Middmen in front at half-time 22 to 20.

Clarkson Leads

The hometown's first team started the second half, in an attempt to lengthen the Panther's lead, but Mulvaney and Farmer proved too much for the Blue and White, and with Ed Fitzgerald's basket at the eight-minute mark, Clarkson took over 28-27. Again the lead changed hands, mainly due on Middlebury's part, to the scoring of Capt. Russ Dale and Means.

Farmer High Scorer

Frankie Farmer, Green and Gold forward, found the net and Clarkson went out in front 42 to 35, with 5 minutes remaining. From then on Coach Hank Hodges' cagers matched each of Midd's baskets and when the final whistle blew, were out in front 49-41.

Elwell and Dale were high for the

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Rutland, Burlington Defeat Middlebury College J. V.

Burlington Wins With 41-19 Score

Coach Bobo Sheehan's junior varsity basketball quintet dropped their opening game of the season to the Burlington High School cagers, 41-19.

Rielle Scores

The Blue and White yearlings never seemed to get going with Burlington leading from the tip off. Fallon, 6'2" center for the visitors, opened the scoring with a layup shot. Stafford connected for B.H.S., after Don Burn, Midd. pivot man, failed to convert on either of his two gift shots. Chuck Rielle, captain for the hometown cagers, scored Middlebury's first bucket, with about 3 minutes of the first quarter gone. A basket and a free throw by Goldberg, flashy Burlington forward, put the high school lads on the heavy end of an 8 to 2 score.

Galvin of Middlebury started the second quarter scoring with a free throw, followed by three quick baskets by Burlington High—Belden, Fallon, and Goldberg respectively, connecting for two pointers.

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BOX SCORE

MIDD (19)	B	FT	PF	TP
Cran (f)	1	0	0	2
Weeks (f)	0	0	0	0
Galvin (f)	0	1	3	1
Fagg (f)	0	1	0	1
Burn (c)	1	0	1	2
Bloch (c)	1	0	1	2
Barnes (g)	2	0	1	4
Grady (g)	0	1	0	1
Rielle (g)	2	0	1	4
MacLean (g)	1	0	1	2
Totals	8	3	8	19
B.H.S. (41)	**B**	**FT**	**PF**	**TP**
Goldberg (f)	6	1	1	13
Snow (f)	0	0	0	0
Stafford (f)	2	1	1	5
Fallon (c)	4	0	1	8
Nostrand (c)	2	1	0	5
Quinn (c)	1	0	0	2
Belden (g)	1	0	0	2
Glasston (g)	1	1	2	3
Tampas (g)	0	1	1	1
Densmore (g)	1	0	1	2
Totals	18	5	7	41

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Midd Trounced 57-17 by Rutland

Rutland High School trounced the Middlebury College J.V.'s, last Friday evening, 57-17.

BOX SCORE

MIDDLEBURY (17)	B	FT	PF	TP
Cran (f)	1	0	0	2
Cowan (f)	0	0	0	0
Fagg (f)	1	0	2	2
Galvin (f)	0	0	3	0
MacLean (f)	0	1	1	1
Burn (c)	0	1	1	1
Hentz (c)	1	0	1	2
Armstrong (c)	0	1	2	1
Rielle (g)	1	1	3	3
Barnes (g)	2	1	4	5
Cosgrove (g)	0	0	2	0
Grady (g)	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	5	19	17
RUTLAND (57)	**B**	**FT**	**PF**	**TP**
Davine (f)	3	1	1	7
Hinds (f)	0	0	0	0
Colenback (f)	4	7	1	15
Kelly (f)	0	2	0	2
Laird (c))	7	1	1	15
Hoag (c)	0	1	1	1
Marsden (c)	0	0	0	0
Kehoe (g)	5	5	2	15
Crossman (c)	1	0	0	2
Brush (g)	0	0	1	0
P. Corsones (g)	0	0	1	0
T. Corsones (g)	0	0	1	0
Totals	20	17	9	57

Before an estimated 1,500 fans, the host team never was in trouble as they piled up 18 points, before the Blue and White was able to drop a 2-pointer. In fact Coach Sheehan's men scored but 2 full goals the entire first half.

Rutland Star

Dick Laird, Red and White pivot man, was the cog in the fast moving attack that Coach Keefe's men employed. Laird was easily the star of the game piling up 15 points before he had to leave the contest early in the second half, due to an injured ankle. The Rutland Raiders

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Junior Varsity

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dropped 17 out of 26 from the free throw line, as Middlebury committed 19 personal fouls against only 9 for the Keefemen.

With Kehoe and Laird leading the attack, Rutland went into a 19-2 lead at the end of the first quarter and boosted it to a 34 to 7 count at half-time, as Colenback and Davine found the hoop.

Rutland Leads

The Collegians were having difficulty getting by the stiff defense set up by the Southern Vermont runner-ups and when they did shoot, most of the rebounds were gathered in by Corsones and Kehoe, both playing excellent defensive ball.

Midd Outscored

Midd was outscored 16-15 in the third quarter and the Rutland reserves bettered the Blue and White 7-5 in the last 8 minutes.

Rielle former Raider's star, and Barnes again proved that they were about the best Coach Sheehan's inexperienced collegians could offer.

Junior Varsity-Burlington High

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Burlington Leads

Burlington's Seahorses went on from there to capitalize on the J.V.'s numerous mistakes. They had no set offensive to work from and many times were unable to break up Burlington's attack, since there was only one man in the backcourt. The result, therefore, at half-time found the boys from Lake Champlain shores out in front 27 to 8.

RIPTON PARTY

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ice cream, hard candy, cookies, and an orange apiece. We were all impressed by the way in which the children all said "Please" and "Thank you." The refreshments provided a suitable exclamation point for the end of the party, and the truck drove off, amid cries of "Goodbye! Come again!"

It would be hard to say who enjoyed the party more, but much of our enjoyment came from the children's complete appreciation of the little we could do for them. Although the songs were almost as loud coming back, we all felt thoughtful and a little sad that Christmas couldn't come more often to Ripton.

With the start of the second half, the Burlington club started their second team. Baskets by Burn and Barnes, Panther forward, narrowed the gap, but it wasn't long before the visitor's first team was on the floor once again, and the game completely under their control.

Midd Fights Hard

Midd's cagers fought hard but never seemed able to work the ball in close to the basket. They were handicapped by inexperienced men, many who had never played competitively before they entered college.

Clarkson Game

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Panthers, with 9 points apiece, while Farmer and Mulvaney paced Tech with 20 and 13 counters respectively.

BOX SCORE

MIDDLEBURY (41)	B	FT	PF	TP
Means (f)	4	0	1	8
Carr (f)	2	1	0	5
Elwell (f)	4	1	2	9
Mutti (f)	1	0	2	2
Dale (c)	4	1	1	9
Ziff (c)	0	0	0	0
Wurm (g)	1	0	1	2
Nelson (g)	1	0	1	2
Lindner (g)	2	0	4	4
Prescott (g)	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	3	12	41

CLARKSON (49)	B	FT	PF	TP
Farmer (f)	8	4	2	20
Dulmage (f)	0	0	0	0
Hyde (f)	4	1	1	9
Vanderbeek (f)	0	0	1	0
Mulvaney (c)	6	1	3	13
Lucland (c)	0	0	0	0
Rossi (g)	2	1	1	5
Sennett (g)	0	0	0	0
Fitzgerald (g)	1	0	0	2
Bregg (g)	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	7	8	49

NOTICE

S.A.A. wishes to apologize for an error in the *On Deck* article on military conscription published in last week's CAMPUS.

None of the four speakers believe that military training should be permanent. They differ in opinion on the measures necessary for the next few years. Therefore, in the opening sentence of the article expressing the views of Charles A. Scott and George F. Wiemann, both '47, "Permanent compulsory military training is necessary today . . . ." the word "Permanent" should be deleted.

A special train for Middlebury students will leave Middlebury, going south, at 12.40 p.m. on Friday noon, December 21. All students are requested to take this train, and not the usual 1.25 p.m.

Returning Men

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